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In re Application of:	
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2009, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Claim amendments begin on page 2. Applicant's remarks begin on page 25.